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Mum and baby elephant safely relocated

A WILD elephant and her calf have been relocated from a oil palm estate in Jerantut, Pahang to Taman Negara Terengganu by wildlife rangers, reported *Berita Harian*.

Personnel from the Elephant Conservation Centre in Kuala Gandah, Pahang and the state Wildlife and National Parks Department (Perhilitan) were involved in the operation.

Residents were concerned about the animals which were foraging in Felda Kota Gelanggi Tiga, near the Tekai Forest Reserve.

Kuala Gandah Elephant Conservation Centre chief Che Ku Mohd Zamzuri Chik Wan Ab Rahman said the operation by 29 personnel on April 2 took five hours.

"The female elephant, weighing around three tonnes, was estimated to be 40 years old, while its female calf was estimated to be six months old.

"It was challenging as we needed to lead the elephants for 1km through a logging road and onto a lorry," he said.

He said two domesticated elephants, Abot and Rambai, were used to lure the elephants out.

> Singer Elyana said she is grateful to WebTVAsia for selecting her as its new Multi-Channel Network talent, reported Utusan Malaysia.



Elyana (*pic*), whose full name is Erneelya Elyana Emriza, signed a deal with the digital media outfit at its headquarters last Friday.

Elyana, who had battled cancer for 11 years, said she has been looking forward to being active on YouTube as she has many things to share with her fans.

"I hope this project not only brings benefits to me and the team, but also to those who have had the same experience as I.

"Maybe I can raise spirits and provide inspiration in Malaysia and the world," she added.